

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JHARKHAND AT RANCHI
B.A. No.7301 of 2022

Navin Kumar	Petitioner/Applicant
Versus			
The State of Jharkhand	Opposite Party

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJESH KUMAR

For the Petitioner/Applicant	: Mr. Ashim Kr. Sahani, Adv.
For the State	: Mr. Saket Kumar, A.P.P.
For the Informant	: Mr. Anil Kr. Sinha, Adv.

03/Dated: 03rd August, 2022

1. Heard learned counsel for the applicant and learned counsel for the State.
2. The applicant who is in custody since 18.05.2022 has approached this Court for grant of regular bail in connection with Doranda P.S. Case No.107 of 2022, registered for the offence under Sections 417, 376 and 313 of the Indian Penal Code.
3. It appears that the applicant is accused of establishing physical relationship on the false pretext of marriage.
4. Innocence has been claimed by the learned counsel for the applicant and undertaking has been given for participation in the trial. Further, it has been submitted that they were in live-in relationship since July, 2018. The present FIR has been lodged only on the ground that this applicant has contracted marriage with another girl. On the above basis, the prayer for bail has been made.
5. Counsel for the State and the informant have opposed the prayer for bail.
6. From perusal of the case diary and the material available on record, it appears that the parties were in live-in relationship and they have visited so many places. The relationship was consensual.
7. Considering the duration of the relationship, the applicant, named above, is directed to be released on bail, on furnishing bail bond of Rs.10,000/- (Ten thousand only) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of the learned Judicial Magistrate, 1st Class, Ranchi in connection with Doranda P.S. Case No.107 of 2022, subject to condition that

the applicant will submit self-attested photocopy of his Aadhaar Card and also submit his mobile number before the learned court below which he will always keep active and will not change it during pendency of this case without prior permission of the court.

(Rajesh Kumar, J.)

Amar/-